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> For the HONGBONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. G. E. NOBLE.

Uhief Manager, Hangkong, January 1, 1819.

Intimations.

MRS. FALCONER has VACANCIES for Gentlemen Resident Boardens at Kowloon. Kowloon, 5th February, 1890.

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Intimations.

ZETLAND

N Emergency MEETING of the abova LODGE will be held in the Free-EVENING, the 11th March, at 8.30 for Offices, No. 14, Praya Central, on MON-

Hongkong, March 11, 1890. COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE OF EXTRADEDINARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Hongkong Hotel on THURSDAY, the 13th day of March, 1890, at 4 p.m., when certain Resolutions necessary to carry out the Reconstruction of the Company (proposed at a Meeting of Shareholders held on the 27th day of January ultimo) will be put to the Meeting. Copies of these Resolutions have been forwarded to the Registered Shareholders in the Company, and Unregistered Holders of Shares can obtain Copies, and full Particulars re- How. J. J. KESWICK. garding the Scheme for Reconstruction, on application at the Office of Messrs Gibs, How. C. P. CHATER. LIVINGSTON & Co., on the 6th or 7th March next; between the hours of 3 and 5 p.m. By Order of the Board of Directors.

CHAS. F. HARTON. Secretary. Hongkong, February 26, 1890 ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN

LIQUIDATION.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Payment of 7th and Final Dividend. 7TH DIVIDEND of 5 PER CENT. on A all Claims against the Hongkong Branch of THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK COR-PORATION, which have been approved by the Court of Chancery will be paid at the Offices of the New ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION,

LIMITED, on and after MONDAY, the 10th March next. Creditors are requested to apply to the Bank for their Dividends and to produce the letter they hold from the Official Central. Liquidator admitting their Claims in order that the payment of the 7th Dividend may

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in Liquidation. Hongkong, March 4, 1890.

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Hongkong, July 15, 1889. NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK

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signed is requested, when immediate steps will be taken to rectify the cause of dis-D. GILLIES.

Hongkong, August 25, 1885 WAI LOONG,

Secretary.

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HONGKONG. Hongkong, February 24, 1890.



GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

TNFORMATION has been Received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that ARTIL LERY PRACTICE will take place from the Works on Stone-cutters' Island, during the Works on Stone-cutters' Island, during the period 5th to 31st Instant, between the Christoffe & Co.'s Electro-Plated Ware, hours of 9 a.m. and 2 p.m. DAILY (SUNDAYS excepted); the Line of Fire will be in a 754 South-Westerly direction from the Works, All Ships, Junks, and other Vessels are CAUTIONED to keep clear of the Range.

By Command. W. M. DEANE, Acting Colonial Secretary.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE. Hongkong, 5th Blarch, 1890.

HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM-WAYS COMPANY, Ltd. TIME TABLE. (To take effect from 1st November.)

WEEK DAYS. 8 to 10 s.m. every quarter of an hour.
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Intimations.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOOK COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, THIS the Company will be held at the Company's 9 p.m. precisely. Visiting Brethren are DAY, the 24th Instant, at 3 p.m. The object and business of the Meeting will be to confirm the Special Resolutions numbered 2, 3, and 4, passed on the 3rd March, 1890. By Order of the Board of Directors, DAVID GILLIES.

> Secretary. Hongkong, March 4, 1800.

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P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, March 10, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON, VIA SUEZ CANAL, The Co.'s Steamship

Superintendent.

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Hongkong, March 10, 1890.

IMPORT CARGOES.

Per S. S. Arcatoon Apear, sailed 20th

February : - From Calcutta. Penang and

Singapore :- For Hongkong, 738 chests

Opium Patna, 163 chests Opium Benares,

1,072 bales Cotton, 728 bales Yarn and

Twist, 757 bales Gunnes, 699 bales Juic,

1.707 baza: Saltpetre, 1,364 bags Linseed

236 bags Putchinck, 182 bags Pepper, 489

haga Sugar, 300 baga Sago Flour, 824 baga

EXPORT CARGOES.

111 cases Chinaware, 17 pkgs. Sundries

14 cases Blackwoodware, 10 cases Paper

Havro option Hamburg, 26 cases China-

ware, 10 cases Paper, 6 cases Blackwood-

ware, and I case Silks. To Hamburg, 140

pkgs. Sundries, 68 cases Canes, 50 cases

Essential Oil, 36 cases White Pitch, 27

bales Cowhides, 15 cases Ginger, 9 cases

China Ink. 5 cases Briefles, and 4 cases

Silks. To Hamburg option London, 100

Per S. S. Nestor; sailed 21st February

Bristles, 22 cases Curios, 8 pkgs. Sundries.

Per S. S. Hector, sailed 22nd February

Per S. S. Cyclops, sailed 1st March :-

For London, 39 cases Chinaware and 4 cases

Per British barque Sam Mendel, sailed on

the 3rd March: - For Hamburg and Lan-

don. For Hamburg, 2,100 pkgs. Cassit,

1,351 pkgs. Crackers, 3,471 bags Char-

coal, 225 bales Feathers, 152 pkgs. Rattans,

63 pkgs, Canes, 50 pkgs, Galengal, 17 cases

Private effects. For London, 1,162 pkgs.

Preserves 1,039 pkgs. Crackers, 756 rolls

Soy. For Hamburg and/or London, 6,000

Per S. S. Lacrtes, sailed 5th March

Chinaware and 10 cases Curios.

MAILS will close:-

For STRAITS & BUMBAY .-

viously notified.

the 13th inst.

and Gibraltar.

the Mails, &c.

be closed as follows :-

0.15 P.M. Registry ceases.

the 12th ipst.

For SAIGON .--

For London, 95 bales Waste Silk, 152 rolls

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Per Cicero, at 4.30 p.m., on Wednesday,

Per Lumbardy, at 5 p.to., on Wednes-

day, the 12th inst., instead of as pre-

will be despatched on WEDNESDAY.

the 12th Instant, with Mails for

countries boyond, via Brindisi; to the

Straits Sattlements, Notherlands Indla.

Burmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malla,

The usual hours will be observed in closing

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET --

The United States Mail Packet Oceanic will

0.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Corns

he despatched on THURSDAY,

13th Instant, with Mails for Japan.

Honolulu, San Francisco, the United

States, Canada, Pern, &c., which will

pondence may be posted on board the

Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra

Postage until the time of departure.

HOURS OF CLOSING THE

ENGLISH AND FRENCH MAILS

When the Packets leave at Noon,

The following hours will be observed in

closing the Mails for Europe, &c. p by the

Euglish and Freich Packets, when they

leave at Noon. The Money Order Office

(Prices Current and Circulars may

however be posted up to 10 o'clock

if they are tied in bundles, country

by country, with the addresses all

11.80 a.m., after which hour they may

be sent on Board with the same Late

will be closed at 5 the day before.

Circulara ceases.

one way).

11.00 A.M. -Blai closes.

10.00 A. w. - Hegistry coasos.

Books, and Palterns ceases.

-For Lendon, 208 pkgs. Tea and 125 pkgs.

5 pkgs Cines, and 2 cases China Ink. To

Sundries, and 1 Horse, "

40 bales Feathers.



STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, ISMALTA, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES, BRINDISI, TRIESTE, VENICE, PLYMOUTH AND LONDON;

BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA AND AUSTRALIA.

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SPECIE ONLY LANDED AT PLYMOUTH.

THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY's Steam-ship MASSILIA, Captain C. FRASER, with Her Majesty's Mails, will be despatched from this for LONDON vid BOMBAY and SUEZ CANAL, on WEDNESDAY, 12th March, at Noon.

Cargo will be received on board until p.m. Parcels and Specie (Gold) at the Office until 4 p.m. on the day before sailing. Silk and Valuables for Europe will be transhipped at Colombo: Tea and General Oargo for London will be conveyed vid Bombay without transhipment, arriving one week later than by the ordinary direct route vid Colombo. For further Particulars regarding

FREIGHT and PASSAGE, apply to the Peninbular & Oriental Steam Naviga-TION COMPANY'S Office, Hongkong. The Contents and I alue of Packages are required to be declared prior to shipment. Shippers are particularly requested to

note the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Lading. Passengers desirous of insuring their baggage can do so on application at the Company's Office. This Steamer takes Cargo and Passengers for Marseilles.

E. L. WOODIN, Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office,

Hongkong, February 28, 1890.

Occidental & Oriental Steam-Ship Company.

TAKING CARGO AND PASSENGERS TO JAPAN, THE UNITED STATES, MEXICO, CENTRAL AND SOUTH AMERICA, AND EUROPE,

THE OVERLAND RAILWAYS.

ATLANTIC & OTHER CONNECTING STEAMERS.

[I]HE Steamship OCEANIC will be despatched for San Francisco, via Yokohama and Honolulu, on THURSDAY, the 13th March, at 1 p.m. Connection being made at Yokohama. with Steamers from Shanghai and Japan

All Parcel Packages should be marked to address in full; and same will be received at the Company's Office, until 5 p.m. the

day previous to sailing. First-class Fares granted as follows :-To San Francisco \$225.00 To San Francisco and return, available for 6 months ... To Riverpool

To other European points at proportion: ate rates. Special reduced rates granted to THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM. Officers of the Army, Navy, Civil Service and the Imperial Chinese Customs, to be obtained on aprlication.

Passengers by this Line have the option of proceeding overland by the Southern Pacific and connecting Lines, Central Pacific. Northern Pacific or Canadian Pacific Railways Passengers, who have paid full fare, re-

ambarking at San Francisco for China or Japan (or vice versa) within one year will be allowed a discount of 10 %. This allowence does not apply to through fares from China and Japan to Europe. Consular Invoices to accompany Cargo

destined to points beyond San Francisco, in the United States, should be sent to the Company's Offices, addressed to the Collector of Customs, San Francisco. For further information as to Freight

or Passage, apply to the Agency of the Company, No. 50A, Queen's Road Central. O. D. HARMAN.

Hongkong, February 26, 1890.

NORDDEUTSCHER LLOYD.

NOTICE. STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, BRINDISI, GENOA, ANTWERP. BREMEN & HAMBURG, PORTS IN THE LEVANTE, BLACK SEA & BALTIC PORTS;

ALSO, LONDON, NEW YORK, BOSTON, BALTIMORE, NEW ORLEANS. GALVESTON & SOUTH AMERICAN

PORTS. THE COMPANY'S STEAMERS WILL CALL AT SOUTHAMPTON TO LAND PASSENGER AND LUGGAGE.

N.B.-Cargo can be taken on through Bills Ports on FRIDAY, the 21st Instant, at

of Lading for the principal places in 10 s.m. N SUNDAY, the 16th day of March

1890, at 10 a.m., the Company's Steamship SACHSEN, Captain v. Goessel, with MAILS, PASENGERS, SPECIE and CARGO, will leave this port as above, THE CHINA SHIPPERS' MUTUAL calling at GENOA. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon, Cargo will be received on board until 4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on the 15th March. (Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the AGENCY'S Office). Contents and Value of Packages are required. The Steamer has splended Accommodation and carries a Doctor and Stewardess.

For further Particulars, apply to MELCHERS & Co..

Hongkong, February 17, 1890.

Entertainment.

On THURSDAY, 20th March A CONCERT, Under the distinguished Patronage of

HIS EXCELLENCY THE ADMINISTRATOR, FRANCIS FLEMING, C.M.G.; HIS EXCELLENCY VIOE-ADMIRAL SIR NOWELL SALMON, V.C., K.C.B.; HIS EXCELLENCY MAJOR-GENERAL J. B.

EDWAR S, C.B., R.E; and in Aid of the Funds of THE ALICE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL, will be given by

TATAESTRO CATTANEO'S PUPILS. Sr. GEORGE'S HALL.

Tickets not less than \$2 oach, to be had N.B.—Cargo can be taken on through Bills from Maestro CATTANEO and his Pupils, and from Messre Lane, CRAWFORD & Co.,

Hongkong, March 10, 1890.

Not Responsible for Debts.

Aleither the Captain, the Agents, nor Amners will be Hesponsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or. Crew of the following Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour :-GREAT ADMIRAL, Americanchin, Captain James F. Rowell. - Melchers & Co.

G. M. STANWOOD, Amer. barque, Capl John Foster. —Butterfield & Swire. OMEGA, British barque, Captain A. Brown. - Master.

To-day's Advertisements

HONGKONG CRICKET CLUB. LAWN TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP.

TEMBERS, wishing to enter for the above, will please sign their Names. either on the List lying on the Table in the Hongkong Club Ante-room, or on the one in the Cricket Pavilion, on or before MON-DAY NEXT, the 17th Instant.

> ARTHUR K. TRAVERS. Honorary Sceretary.

Hongkoug, March 11, 1890.

PERSEVERANCE LODGE OF HONGKONG. No. 1165.

Regular MEETING of the above LODGE will be held in the FREE MASONS' HALL, Zetland Street, on MON-DAY NEXT, the 17th Inst., at 8.30 for 9 p.m., precisely. VISITING BRETHREN are cordially invited.

Hongkong, March 11, 1890. NOTICE.

HONGKONG GENERAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE.

ITHE Annual General MEETING of the MEMBERS of the Hongkong Gene-RAL CHAMBER OF COMMERCE will be held on THURSDAY, the 20th March, at 3.30 p.m. at the Rooms of the Chamber, City Ha for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Committee, and passing the Secretary's Accounts for the year ending 31st Decem-

> By Order, F. HENDERSON,

Scoretary. Hongkong, March 11, 1890.

SUIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, SINGAPORE AND BANGKOK. The Company's Steamer Phra Chom Klao.

Capt. W. H. Warron, will be despatched for the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 14th Instant,

For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG. Hongkong, March 11, 1890.

AUSTRO-HUNGARIAN LLOYD'S

STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, BOMBAY, ADEN. SUEZ. PORT SAID, BRINDISI,

TRIESTE AND VENICE. (Taking Cargo at through rates to CAL-CUTŤA, MADRAS, PÉRSIÁN GULF RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT

and ADRIATIC PORTS.) The Co.'s Steamship Capt. G. Messel, will be despatched as above on the 19th Instant, at Noon. Cargo will not be received on board after 5 p.m. prior to date of sailing. For further information as to Passage

and Freight, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agenis.

Hongkong, March 11, 1890.

FOR SINGAPORE, HAVRE AND HAMBURG. (Taking Caryo at through rates to NTWERP, AMSTERDAM, ROTTER. DAM. LONDON, LIVERPOOL and BREMEN.)

The Steamship Captain Forck, will be despatched for the above

For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co...

Agents. Hongkong, March 11, 1990

STEAM NAVIGATION COM-PANY, LIMITED. FOR LONDON.

WM. Dundis, Comm'der, will be despatched for The Co. 's Steamship the above Port on or about the 80th Inst. For Freight, apply to

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, March 11, 1890,

Business Notices.

(LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COY., LTD.)

LADIES' AND CHILDREN'S OUTFITTING DEPARTMENT

ON MONDAY NEXT, March 3rd, and FOLLOWING DAYS, we will make a Special Show of PRINTS and ZEPHYR'S, also BENGALINES and PONGEE WASHING SILKS, in all the Latest Patterns.

A Splendid Assortment of LADIES' BOOTS and SHOES just to hand, also UM-BRELLAS, TRIMMED and UNTRIMMED MILLINERY, &c., &c.

HONGKONG TRADING COMPANY, LD

(LATE THE HALL & HOLTZ CO-OPERATIVE COY., LTD.)

Vessels Advertised as Loading. Date of Leaving. Destination. Vessels. Agents. Havre, L'don & H'burg Carmarthenshire (s). Adamson, Bell & Co... About March 18. London, v. Suez Canal Palinurus (s)............. Butterfield & Swire... March 13. N'saki, Kobé & Y'hama Cardiganshire (s) Adamson, Bell & Co... March 18. New York...... Merionethshire (s)..... Adamson, Bell & Co... About March 14. Port Darwin, &c. Chingtu (a)...... Butterfield & Swire ... March 30, daylight. S'rang, S'baya, &c.... Almora (8)...... Jardino, Matheson & Co bout March 17. S. Francisco, v. Japan City of Riode Janeiro (8) Pacific Mail S. S. Co., March 25, at 1 p.m. Shanghai, via Amoy... Sarpedon (s)......... Butterfield & Swire... March 16. Adamson, Bell & Co... About March 17. Shaughai, Kobé & Y'ma Moyune (s)...... Swatow, S'pore& B'kok Phra Chom Klao (s)... Yuen Fat Hong....... March 14, at 8 a.m. Jardine Matheson&Co March 14. Tientsin Yiksang (s)..... D. Sassoon, Sons & Co. March 19, at noon Medusa (s).....

Po-day's Advertisements

FOR SINGAPORE, BATAVIA, SAMA-RANG AND SOURABAYA.

I The Steamship Captain Grier, will be despatched as above on or about the 17th Instant. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, March 11, 1890. DAKIN BROS. OF CHINA.

LIMITED, CHEMISTS.

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NEW ANTISEPTIC SOAP (THOMSON'S PATENT.) Possesses fur more powerful germicidal pro-

perties than Carbolic Soop.

IT has been tested in a Physiological Laboratory as a germ destroyer, and proved to be more efficient than any other experimented with .- See 'Journal of the Canes.

Society of Chemical Industry,' 1888, No. 3. Should be used by surgeons, nurses and all who tend sick persons in infectious

For use in skin affections of the inflamed itchy or scaly types it is unsurpassed. Its. action in destroying parasitic growths is speedy and certain, and it has carned the high opinion of all the medical authorities who are specialists in skin diseases.

Nos. 22 & 24, QUEEN'S ROAD CENTRAL

TELEPHONE No. 63.

SHIPPING. ARRIVALª,

March 10, 1800 :-Severn. British cruisor, 4,050, Capt. Hall, Nagasaki March 4.

March 11 :-Kaifong, British steamer from Whampon. Presto, German steamer, 655, J. Jessen, Bangkok March 2, Rice. - Siemssen & Co.

For NAGASAKI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA Hailoong, British steamer, 783, F. D. Goddard, Keeling March 9, Coal .- Dou-MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET,-GLAS STEAMSHIP CO. The British Contract Packet Massilia

Bengloe, British steamer, 1,158, Farqular, Saigon March 7, Rico and Paddy.-Gmb, LIVINGSTON & Co. Marie, German str., 704, C. A. Hunde-

wadt, Haiphong March 9, General. - A. R. MARTY.

DEPARTURES. -March 11 :-Namkiang, for Amoy. Frejr, for Pakhoi.

Strathleren, for Saigon. Tai Lee, for Saigov. Diamante, for Amoy and Manila. Fokien, for Swatow. CLEARED.

Kaifong, for Swatow. Normanby, for Saigen. Stentor, for Amoy and Shanghai. PASSENGUES. ARRIVON

Per Hailoong, from Keeling, 1 Chinese. Per Marie, from Hapbong, Mr Accht and 33 Chinese. Departed. Per Diamonte, for Amoy, 56 Chinese

and 3 children; for Manila, Mrs Geo. Armstrong and child, Mr S. D. Martinez, and woman on deck, and 3 Chinese. Per Fokien, for Swatow, 360 Chinese. TO DEPART. Per Kaifony, for Swatow, 12 Chinese.

Per Stentor, for Amoy, 100 Chinese. -SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Huiloung raports: Keelung to Hongkong, light N. to N.E. winds and showery to Chapel Island ; from there to port, moderate N.E. to E. winds and overcast. In Keelung, Chinese man-

of war Chinyuen. The British steamer Bengloe reports Had strong N. E. wind and sea till passed Padaran, had light S.E. wind, and fine 445 Weather till arrival

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW Shipping.

Daylight. - Stentor leaves for S'hai, &c. Noon.—English Mal leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. Miscellaneous.

9 a.m.—Artillery Practice.
Goods per Almora undelivered after th date subject to rent.

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MANUFACTORY s replete with the best Machinery, ombodying all the latest improvements in the trade. THE greatest attention has been paid

appliances for ensuring purity in the added a Condenser capable of supplying us with 3.0.0 gallons of distilled water a day and are now in a position to compete in Sweet Waters cannot be surpassed any-

The purest ingredients only are used, and the utmost care and cleanliness are used in the manufacture throughout. LARGE BOMBAY 'SODAS.

We continue to supply large bottles as heretofore, free of Extra Charge, to these of our Customers who profer to have them to the ordinary size. COAST PORT ORDERS.

whenever practicable, are despatched by the defendant would have wen the first steamer leaving after receipt of order. FOR COAST PORTS, Waters are packed prices, and the full amount allowed for Packages and Emplies when received in good order.

application. Our Registered Telegraphic Address is: 'DISPÉNSARY, HONGKONG And all signed messages addressed thus will receive prompt attention.

The following is a List of Waters always kept roady in Stock :--Per S. S. Hespiria, sailed on the 20th February :- Fr m tlongkong to Have, PURE AERATED WATER SODA WATER LEMONADE

> SELTZER WATE LITHIA WATER. SARSAPARILLA WATER TONIC WATER GINGER ALE GINGERADE. No Credit given for bottles that are dirty,

POTASH WATER

pkgs, Canus, Ra-Hamburg option Antwerp, for any other purpose than that of con 25 cases Bristles. To London, 40 cases Bris taining Accated Waters, as such bottles are tles. 36 cases Essential Oils. To Antwerp, nover used again by m. 🦠 😘 💮 A. S. WATSON & Co., Ltd.

-- For Londo : from Fonchow, 742 pkgs. 2291 Hongkong China, and Manila. Tea; from Cuton, &c., 42 cases Cigars, 13 cases Clinaware, 177 rolls Matting. 31 cases The publication of this issue commence

The China Itail.

HONGKONG, TUESDAY, MARCH 11, 1890. The Acting Chief Justice was called upon It is highly improbable, likewise, that the other day to decide one of the most if he knew there was a man waiting disgraceful civil suits that have been laid to pay him ; 276 per share, he would rebefore a court of justice. The issue was fuse to come for the shares, would take apparently simple. The plaintiff, Mr Oscar his chance of recovering the difference-Matting, 400 cases Cassia Buds, 300 casks Brandt, sold 50 'China Sugar's shares at \$2,225 -from a man he had great difficulty \$270 to the defendant, Mr Wong Lai in getting \$10) from, and would actually Shing, the compradors of a large English write to the defendant a letter-the receipt Mutting, 37 cases M. O. P. Shell, 33 cases house, on the 28th August, for delivery on of which was admitted-stating he had sold the 31st December. The shares were not the shares, and claiming the difference, taken up, and the plaintiff claimed from but making no mention whatever of the the defendant the difference between the man who was said to be waiting to pay him purchasing price and the \$226, the price at | the money. The story, in fact, is ridicultus. which he said he sold the shares on the And in addition to being discredited by 31st October. The contract was admitted | their improbability the statements of two and the value of the shares on the 31st of the witnesses were rendered unreliable October was not disputed. The defendant, by their declaring one that he saw Mr however, said that the purchaser was ready Webber on the 1st November and the other to take delivery on the due date, and that, that he consulted that solicitor in the first the plaintiff having failed to tender the week of that month, the truth being that Per Verona, at 5 p.m., on Thursday. shares, the contract fell through. It was Mr Webber at that time was in Shanghai the United Kingdom, Europe, and

admitted that there was no physical tender, and did not return to Hongkong till the 12th and the point which his Lordship had to de- November. There was also the consideracide was whether there was a waiver of the tion, which had a little weight with his Lordtender. This was by no means an easy ship, that one of the chits' alleged to have task. He was confronted, not with a been sent by the defendant to Mr Samuel tangled web of confusing evidence, arising bore traces of the date having been altered. through misunderstandings between the Altogether, the evidence for the defence was parties; but by positive assertions which so tainted and so suspicious that his Lordship were so flatly contradictory that he could not do other then accept the second had no other alternative but to declare of the two alternatives we have mentioned that the plaintiff had perjured himself or - that there was a wicked conspiracy that there was a wicked conspiracy— against Brandt to make out that he was not bolstered by perjury against him on the in a position to hold these shares and to part of the defendant and certain of the deliver them on the 31st October. The witnesses. This painful duty the Judge plaintiff was dealing largely in China faithfully performed. We need not recapi- Sugars' at the time in question. Mr Toeg, tulate in detail his clever analysis of the one of the brokers he employed, stated in evidence submitted. It will be sufficient to a recent case that from the 15th June give a brief outline of the conflicting sate- to the 31st Oct. Mr Brandt had dealments to show forth the reprehensible con. ings with him to the extent of \$353,000, duct of the parties against whom he gave of which \$55,000 was cash; and we judgment. As we have said, the question | have the evidence of Mr Fukeora that was, waiver of tender, or neglect-if not 35 aliares he had to get from the plainrefusal to tender. Mr Breddt told a tiff he obtained by an order on Mr Tocg. straightforward story to the effect that he China Sugars on the 3let October were notionary policy is modified. sent his broker on the 28th October to a drug on the market, and to prove that 8.00 A.M. Posting of Prices Ourrent and the defendant to enquire whether the lat- any man in the position Mr Brandt was tor was prepared to take the shares. The then in would be so utterly foolish broker returned with the answer that the as to refuse to tender shares on which he defendant was in difficulties and wanted could obtain a profit of \$2,225, and to to make an arrangement with Mr Brandt prefer to sue an impediations compradore, himself. Mr Brandt wrote the defendant would require inote than the evidence of 10.30 a. M. Posting of Newspapers, a letter on the 31st October, which he de- men like Solomon, and Ramjahm, even if Quetta, and that the Lascara behaved adlivered personally, stiting that the shares it were far more consistent than that given mirably. Marie Letters may be posted from were at his disposel, and that if they by them last week in the witness box. It is 11.10 a.m.) with 10 cents late fee up to were not taken up they would be sold. a great pity that the concoctors of such a

The defendant at the interview said he was conspiracy should escape without punish-

them, and in the afternoon wrote another | strong reason to suspect them guilty. But letter to the defendant stating what he had it requires much stronger proof to estabdone and sending an account for \$2,225. lish a criminal charge of perjury than Apart from its self-consistency there was was necessary for the judge in deciding the plaintiff but the evidence of his broker, Mr cutor here, we doubt if he would chance a Fukcers. This witness testified as to his verdict, however convinced he might be of interview with Mr. Wong Lai Shing (the the moral guilt of the parties. But although discrepency in one matter between his proves, in a Colony where false evidence is Mr Fukeera said that the answer he brought difficult to concoot a chain of lies of which back was not that the defendant was in all the links are faultlessly joined together. difficulties but simply that the defendant wished to see Mr Brandt personally on the matter. Supposing the broker's memory to be more reliable than the plaintiff's, there was nothing in this discrepancy to show that the plainliff did not make his statement in perfect good faith. Mr Brandt knew before the 28th that Wong Lai Shing was in difficulties, because he had a writ of execution

against himswhich had not been satisfied, Mr Chadwick was the long-vexed one of and it was itematerial to the issue whether the drainage of the Peak district. At the the knowledge of the difficulties was ob- last meeting of the Board Mr Chadwick's tained from the broker or otherwise. Mr report on this subject was laid on the Water supply, to seeuro which we have Fukcera, who was not a witness that could table. He deals with the matter, it is be said to be favourably disposed to Mr almost needless to say, in a far more satis-Brandt, further stated that he heard factory manner than has hitherto been quality with the best English Makers. Our nothing from Mr Wong Lai Shing of another purchaser, and was certainly of opinion that on the 31st October he saw Mr Brandt in the compradore's office, although he was not absolutely certain of the date. Against this evidence there were the statements of about half a dozen witnesses who told a story diametrically at variance with the foregoing; and if the verdict had gone by the number of witnesses But he, and those who kelped

and placed on board ship at Hongkong him to concoct the case, were unable to perceive that the testimony of ten thousand witnesses cannot prove that two straight Counterfoil Order Books supplied on lines will enclose a space, or establish the truth of a self-contradictory narrative. The defendant's story, which the all-too ready witnesses, Samuel and Ramjahm, tried to substantiate, was that he only acted as intermediary in the purchase of the shares, that the real purchaser was waiting in the office to take over the shares, that he (defendant) sent two chits-which were produced-to Mr Samuel, that the latter went to Mr Brandt and on asking for the shares was told to mind his own business, and that the plaintiff never called at defend. ant's office with a letter. The alleged real purchaser was produced, and Samuel and Ramjahm swore that Brandt was asked for the shares. Now this story; al or greasy, or that appear to have been used though sworn to by several witnesses, is so improbable on the face of it that his Lordship refused to believe it In the first place the sudden appearance of new purchaser, of whom nothing was mentioned on the 28th October, seems strange. Then Mr Brandt, in order to make the story of the defendant true, must

have concected the press copy of the letter

he produced—a very difficult thing to do.

and a fraud which might easily be detected.

No attempt was made to prove or even hint at such a fraud, except by implication.

nothing to support this statement of the civil suit. Even if we had a public prosedefendant) on the 28th October. There | the parties escape, the judgment of his Lordwas, as his Lordship pointed out, a slight ship will not be without good effect if it evidence and that given by the plaintiff, so common and so cheap, that it is very

> THE Sanitary Board are evidency doter mined to utilise the services of Mr Chadwick as much as possible. Every difficult question that crops up is remitted to him for report. Sometimes, for form's sake, a committee, of which he is a member, is appointed, but whether directly or indirectly the reference is practically to him alone. Among the questions submitted to done. He does not, as the officials here are too apt to do, treat criticisms and complaints as personal attacks, but points out what is defective and what ought to be done by the authorities and by the residents themselves. The great defect of the drainage at the Peak is the want of an adequate supply of water. As long, he says, as water has to be drawn from wells. and carried by hand, servants will use as little of it as possible and use it over and over again, the result being that the flow is reduced in volume and is unduly concentrated. The great cure is of course a proper water supply. This Mr Chadwick is to procure for the district in what seems a very economical and ingenious manner. The Poktulum water not required for the supply of the lower levels, after the Tytam supply has been distributed, will considerably exceed the amount required by the residents at the Peak on the basis of the most liberal allowance. The force of the surplus water Mr Chadwick proposes to utilise for the purpose of pumping up to the Peak the quantity of Pokfulam water required there. The pumping station is to be on the Bunham Road above the Mortuary and close to the spot where it is proposed to erect the new gaol. The cost of raising the water to the required level by this system will be small. Mr Chadwick estimates the proportion to the Peak residents for the entire plant as only \$16,000, and as the system is supposed to be selfacting, the steam-engine serving only as a stand-by, the cost of maintenance will be insignificant. There is no likell hood therefore of there being any difficulty between the authorities and the Peak residents about the water rate, which, we suppose, will now be made the same on the upper as on the lower levels.

> With an abundant supply of water the drains will be self-cleansing. But, until such time as the water reaches the Peak, which probably will not be before the beginning of next year, the residents, Mr Chadwick shows, can do much to improve the existing state of matters, and we hope this part of his report has been carefully studied by those interested. The authorities have done part of their duty by removing the ventilating openings-which were very objectionable -- in the middle of the pathway directly under the noses of passengers, to points away from the road where any escape from them will be harmless. Mr Chadwick's plan for concentrating the sewage of the hill districts to two outfells, one in the Aberdeen valley where it is to irrigate a garden, and the other leading down into the city system of drainage, scems the most practical one yet suggested, but this of course is a matter which it requires professional knowledge to rightly appreciate. We are, thanks mainly to Mr Chadwick, approaching the solution of the most of our drainage difficulties, and we are confident that before he leaves, Hongkong will be put in a sanitary condition behind that of no city within the tropics.

> > TELEGRAMS.

SUPPLIED TO THE 'CHINA MAIL.'

(Via Southern Line.) GERMAN ELECTIONS.

London, March 8. The elections to the German Parliament have resulted in the return of 36 Socialists and 104 Olericals. The Emperor William, in his speech, expressed a deformination to crush all those who oppose efforts towards improving the condition of the lower

THE CZAR THREATENED. A monacing letter has been addressed to the Czar, threatening death unless the re-The Guards have been Toubled.

THE WRECK OF THE S.S. QUETTA. LONDON, 9th March, 1890, It is now stated that only the Javanese dock passengers rushed the boats of the

AUSTRIA HUNGARY. M. Tieza, the Hungariau Premier, has unable to take the shares; Mr Brandt sold ment for the perjury of which there is so resigned.

(From le Courrier d'Haiphong.) RESIGNATION OF M. CONSTANS. Paris, 3rd March.

M. Constant, on account of a difference with Premier Tirard, resigned, and his resignation gave rise to an interpellation in the Chamber of Deputies. . A vote of confidence in the Government was passed by majority of 49.

Bourgeois, who has taken the place of Constans, made a speech which was applauded.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

PASSED SUEZ CANAL.

OUTWARD BOUND :- Holyrood, Feb. 14. Agamemnon, 18; Glengyle, 21; Anchises, Preussen, Daphne, 25; Ghazee, Glengarry, Glamorganshire, Ruysdael, 28;

7; Telamon, Oriental, 18 Kaisow 21 : Denbighshire, Electra. Iraquaddy, 28; Clyde, Yangtsé, March

The M. M. Co.'s steamer Congo, with the on Monday, 10th inst., at 3 p.m., and [may be expected here on or about brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on Jan. 1.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamship City of Rio de Janeiro, with the AMERICAN Mate of Ecb. 15th, leaves Yokohama on Sanday, the 9th Mar., at daylight, and may be expected here on or about Saturday, 15th March.

from Vancouver, left Yokohama for Kobe, Nagasaki and Hongkong on the 10th March. The Union Line s. r. Yorkshire left Singa-

The Canadian Pacific Co.'s s. s. Botavia,

pore on March 5, and may be expected here on or about March 12. The P. & O. extra s. s. Brindisi, from

London and Bombay, left Singapore for this port on the 6th Mar., and may be expected here on or about the 13th

London and Antwerp, left Singapore onMarch 6, and may be expected here on or about the 13th March.

The D. D. R. s.s. Bellong left Singapore on

The O. S. S. Co.'s steamer Sarpedon, iron Liverpool, left Singapore on the 7th or about the 14th March. The China Shippers Mutual S. N. Co.'s

steamship Moyune, from London and Liverpool, left Singapore on the 10th March, and may be expected here on or about the 16th Mar.

The s.s. Wingsang, from Calcutta, left Sinexpected here on or about the 17th March.

Singapore for this port on the 10th March, and may be expected here on or about the 17th March.

The s.s. Cardiganshire, from London, left Singapore for this port on the 10th March, and may be expected here on or about the 17th March.

The Austro-Hung. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Mediesa. from Trieste, left Singapore for this port on the 10th March, and may be expected here on or about the 17th

The P. & O. Co.'s extra steamship Nizam March, at noon.

The P. &. O. extra steamor Venetic left Bombay for this port on the 9th Mar.

THERE will be a come of Polo on the Racecourse at 4.45 p.m. on Wednesday, the 12th inst.

THE Agent of the M. M. Co. informs us that the Co.'s steamer Congo, with the next French Mail, left Saigon yesterday (Monday), at 3 p.m., for this port.

A TELEGRAM has been received this morning by the Punjom Mining Company here. announcing the issue in London of the Prosnectus of the New Punjom Mining Co.

MESSES David Sassoon, Sons & Co. inform us that the Austro. Hung. Lloyd's S. N. Coy.'s S. S. Medusa, from Trieste, left 80 per cent. of fron. Singapore for this port yesterday afternoon.

By the kind courtesy of the Colonel and Officers of the A. & S. Highlanders, the Band and Pipers will play at the Ladies' Recreation Club to-morrow (Wednesday) afternoon, at 4.30.

WHILE a notorious gambling house in Tai pingshan Street was being broken into yes. The tenders for 1,100 tons rails and fastenterday by a party of police, a coterie of gamblers in an adjoining house got scared, received on the 1st March, and that of and made a stampede. One of the men in Mesers Jardine, Matheson & Co., for rails making his way over the roofs of the houses the Directors. No opportunity was given, in the neighbourhood fell down a smoke. on this occasion, to any firm to revise their hole and was killed.

finded \$100 by Mr Wodehouse to day, with the alternative of two months hard labour, on Friday it advanced to \$ 8.8 , on the made, in one of which a police boat that One of the usages peculiar to Peking is the for being found in possession of 4 mace of following day to \$19.25, and on Sunday it was stationed to safeguard the locality was appointment by official authority of a corprepared opium, 50 taels of raw opium and 25 tacks of dress opium without a certifi. Skimban understands the advance is due to as they discovered that the crew of the gulate the dealings of the market. The alleged to be due by the defendant for

from one of the Japan papers to the effect that a new line of steamers was to be start. that the first steamer we s to be the Milki that the steamer is chartered for two voyages from Saigon to this, and it is not in-Yusen Kuishia aro Messra Guo. R., Stevens contradicted, as it is very misleading. Probably the origin of the numbur lies in the fact from Java to Hongkong, but it resulted in nothing.

left Port Darwin for Hongkong, via Java, on the 15th of last month, and, as nothing has since been heard of her, some anxiety is felt with regard to her safety. She ought from Port Darwin.

A sum of over \$900 was stolen from house No. 46 Gage Street early this morning. The money, it is stated, had been left inside a wardrobe in a bathroom, and the theft is suppreed to have been committed between money was made in the servants quarters, but no trace of it was found.

A wonan who lives in Gilman's Buzaar told Mr Wodehouse this morning that she got up about 12 o'clock last night to see what was the cause of her five dollar clock having stopped, and found it was being carried off by a thief. The thief, who dropped the clock, was immediately afterwards stopped by a watchman. He turned out to be a well-known offender named French mail of Feb. 7th, left Saigon | Tsoi Hu, and the magistrate sent him to gaul for six months.

Thursday, the 13th inst. This packet THE Legislative Council meets to morrow. The following are the Orders of the Day J. Financial Minutes.

> 2. Report of the Finance Committee (No. $\frac{a}{00}$).

(a) An Ordinance for the naturalization of Lam Leung Sing, otherwise

Lam Yuk Pau. (b) A Bill to amend The Public Health Ordinance, 1887.

WITH reference to the charge of embezzle-

ment against John Gray, assistant accountant in the Oriental Bank, Mr Pollock made The Glen Line steamship Glenariney, from Wedshouse) to-day, on behalf of the prisoner, to have the hearing of the case resumed on Saturday, instead of on Monday. Mr Pollock submitted that it was an the 7th March, at 4 p.m., and may be | nnnecessary hardship to the prisoner to expected here on or about the 14th have to undergo the suspense and anxiety of waiting for next month's Criminal Sessions, which would be the result of March, and may be expected here on I delaying the case till Monday. He went to argue at length that the prisoner had a right to object to unnecessary delay, and contended that no reason whatever had been shown why such a delay as was proposed should be allowed. It would make very little gapore on the 10th March, and may be difference, if any, to the prosecution wheth- lief, as no crops can be looked for and the public concerned that on account of the er the case were taken on Saturday or The s. s. Edendale, from Liverpool, left | Monday, but it made a great deal of difference to the prisoner. Mr Wotton said the importance of the case itself, and the desirwould enable the prosecution to show the prisoner had perpetrated a series of frauds left Bombay for this port on the 2nd important that time should be given to succour, preserved the lives of so many river. The season has been exceptionally unfair to the prisoner, but the prisoner had | contingency will not occur. -Shih Pac. been perpetrating these frauds for eighteen over the whole ground. His Worship said fearful and unprecedented disasters last bed. But this has had to go the way of he would therefore allow the case to stand adjourned till Monday.

> THE gardeners of Poking presented on the 15th of last moon 160 pots of most beautiful flowers, consisting of plum, parcissus, peonies, etc., to the Imperial Palace for breach completed its raveges, than breaches the first fleet of steamers select the lowest

By the direction of the Vicerov Chang Chili-tung, a weignen named Tsak, a Manchu, went in company with several others. vince, to inspect the iron mines there. reports them to be very rich, and it is asserted that the oro c mtains between 70 and

In a remote village of a certain mountainous of its inhabitants. And in the district city province are required by this law to make district in the province of Hunan, there itself the ravages of death have been hardly thorough reports of those officials who have was born into a peasant family twins which I less sparing cutting down hundreds of all been dishonest and neglectful in their duties were facing each other, making the nursing rounding towns and vanges it is impossible the Provincial Treasurer Ya and the Provery difficult. The family was much alacm. ed by their advent, so they were left to die. This pair must have been good friends in their former state of existence. - Native

ings for the extension of the railway from Kaiping to the new coal mine of Linsi were price after the other tenders were opened. - Chinese Times.

A CHAIRMAKER named Wong Ping was There has been a sudden rise in copper where the force of the Imperial arm has of the honours given them to make improvequotations at Osaks. For a long time the not been felt, In the district of Shih-Wan, ments .- Native Paper. price had remained stationary at \$18, but for instance, several attacks have been had risen to 821. On Monday there was nearly burned and destroyed. The pirates tain class of individuals, styling themselves Adolf Bruhll, claimed from the defendant. still an upward tendency. The Nichi Nichi watched for their opportunity, and as suon Ching Chi, or public Arbitrators, to re- Theodor Traulsen, the sum of \$477,82 | motionless without wincing through it all the action of a Kobs merchant who is buying up copper in large quantities.

fact, -Shanghai Mercury,

clear, became clouded over.

THE drain on the wealth of China by the purchase of foreign opium amounts to Tls. the year 1670 the taste for the drug as a Treaty Rovision had been suspended for lightly taxed than now, paying only three or three days ago the Government comtacls per chest to the Chinese revenue. municated with the various Treaty powers was only about 200 chests. In 1796 the new Treaties. In making this request it is In 1839 the Viceroy Lin Tsell-su burned a ling of Parliament have kept the hands of large quantity by force, but this led to war the Government full, and hence the desire with Great Britain, and since then China that the ratification of the Treaties should leglised importation. At present about would be a more accurate explanation of 300,000 cliests are sent hither from India the delay. - Japan Gazette. annually. The opium habit has thus rethe Indian drug. -Shan Pao.

Deli. The deteriorating effect of these vered over to the police authorities. heavy downpours on the tobacco plants

DESTITE the fact that nearly all the important breaches of the Yellow River in Shantung have been closed, vast tracts of In view of the smuggling irregularities curcountry scattered here and there through rently reported in connection with the thirty districts, are still either under water | native postal services between Macao, or else covered with a thick deposit of sand, Hongkong, and Canton, the Commissioner rendering cultivation impossible. In these of Customs at the latter port has just wretched inhabitants must quietly await doings of certain disreputable native postal them by their tenevolent countrymen, seriously deranged, the Imperial revenue currences at several of the central provinces | against the recurrences of the reprehensible ability of making such investigations as have diverted the attention of philanthro- practices, the postal agencies are enjoined pists, so that she receives but a portion of that henceforth all dutiable goods transmit the public bounty. The northern provin- | ted by or through them must be reported on the bank, justified the adjournment ces, however, which escaped the visitation at the proper station and the lawful duty which his Worship had granted. Mr Follock of any calamity should manifest their fully paid. Any infringement of this order, replied that the prosecution had nothing sympathy by extending succour to the if detected, will be dealt with with great On going upstairs I found the floor of the to do with any matters that were outside of | wretched and thus secure man fold blees- severity and the guilty will not receive the the charge. Mr Wotton said he had dis- ings to themselves. It is difficult to con- least mercy. - Native paper. covered one fact-he would not say ceive that the benevolent among both Chiat present what it was-which would ness and foreigners, who have hitherto ex- The winter is past, our streets are once be found to have a very material hibited such laudable zeal in behalf of the more thronged, and the discordant screams bearing on the charge, and it was distressed, and have, through their timely of tugboats are beginning to enliven the bring everything to light that had a bearing thousands, should now abandon them to mild throughout, and the river has not on the charge. He remarked that Mr their fate. For the sake of the afflicted in- been frozen below Tientsin. It was feared Pollock complained about the delay as habitants we earnestly hope that such a that the usual winter scour would not take

months, and it was therefore not easy to go | Or all the provinces which suffered such | crust of ice, was thus forced to deepen the he did not think the adjournment was an year, Shantung seems to have reached the many other popular fallacies. The river is unreasonable one in the circumstances, and climax of her misfortunes. Great as were now as navigable for sleamers as it eve the wees of her neighbour province. Houan, I was, and if they are not brought up to the during the trying times of the Obeng Chou | bund this season it will be for some reason disaster, the miefortunes of Shantung, fol- unconnected with the depth of water. lowing as they did in the wake of each | None of the steamers have been able to other, have eclipsed them. It will be re- cross the Bar, owing to the neap tides. membered that hardly had the Cheng Chou is a remarkable fact that year after year at other lucalities followed in its train, tides for arriving at Taku; and are always every town and hamlet of the province. To curious to know the reason of this, some accentuate the aufferings already beyond thing to do with Chinese superstition most endurance, toward the end of the past year. | probably. - Chinese Times, 1st Marchto the Taiyat district in the Shantung Pro- a fearful epidemic made its appearance in one of its populous districts, laying down Tue law for investigating into the characters the towns a few miles distant from the dis- officials has been rigidly carried out from the were connected by the umbilical cord. They classes. What the deaths were in the sur- once in three years. H. E. Li lins . rdered tistics beyond mere approximate guessing report of those officials in Chili province have been quite appalling. The son of the their duties. H. E. Yu, while visiting district magistrate was also stricken with Tientsin, begged H. E. the Viceroy to me mations were issued offering substantial months longer than the time set by the rewards to any one who could prescribe a Imperial Decree, as he has not yet acquaintremedy to stay the scourge no physician or ed himself with the different officials under sorcerer has yet arrived at a successful his charge on account of the short time result. - Shanghai Mercury translation.

tacks upon outlying towns and villages chance for those who have been unworthy. police boat had gone ashore, they drew ching this must be approved by the office breach of a contract to purchase fifty shares A Congression writes to us: -'I observe Ar Belawan, the custom house is now open the boat extinguished the fire, and by dis-certificate or licence. Their duties are to Office) appeared for the plaintiff, and no in last night's China Mail a paragraph from 7 a.m. to 2,30 r.m. tomeet the require- charging their guns they communicated to settle all disputes between buyer and seller, appearance was made for the defendant. ments of the mercantile o mmunity, with their comrades on shore of their danger, wrising from whatever cause. In the case Mr Hastings said the shares were sold on whom official delays in passing goods have These promptly ran to their rescue and of every-day articles, such as meat, fish etc. 13th July last for delivery on 30th Septemlong been a stumbling block. The customs succeeded in killing two of the prates, but their prices are regulated from time to time ber, the price being \$30, cum all, and the ed between Hongkong and Batavia, and authorities complain of the trable traders the rest, on account of their superior no ne by them, and dealers are bound to abide by defendant failed to take them up. The The brothers Chang Rich (1941) and give them, while the latter raise the voice | bers, managed to effect their escape. On these prices on pain of losing their privilege | defendant claimed \$462 as the difference, loud against vexations formalities and ex- another occasion, a night attack was mide of selling. On the 2th, and 28 h of every less dividend, between the price the shares | Chang Pao (127), under the Han dy-Maru. This is not true. I know for a fact cessive fiscal exections. The new arrange- upon one of the country because were sold for and the market rate (\$.6) on heaty, who had obtained a great following ment is expected to mend matters and same district, when several shops were at the Yamen, when their names are called the due date, and he a so claimed interest during many years' practice of the occur plundered. Such was the popular terror and inquiries made as to whether any abuses from 30th September to 18th February. arts of Tanism, in A.D. 194 reised the that even in the daytime shops did their have been practised. This scheme is car- The plaintiff give evidence bearing out standard of rebellion and in one month tended that she should be run specially on WE learn that the chartered Norwegian business with doors half closed for fear leat tainly a most excellent one for the suppress. He flastings statement. He had received gained all the Northern Provinces. [With the Java trade. The agents of the Nippon steamer Bankchef Hendriken, is travelling some pirate apy may slip in unobserved, bion of polity strikes, but like all other ex. the desidend on the shares, for which he this rebellion, tays Mayers, the downtall Banomerri - 9 a. y. ... 29,92 around on the Korean coasts with 13) tone Admiral Fang in command of the sea cellent schemes, it has gits drawbacks, gave the defendant credit. The defendant of the Han dynisty was virtually usbered of coal on board, the balance of a cargo forces, and Brigadier-General Knaug, in Knowing that these ching che possess more did not carry out the coutrac. & Co. who dos re that the statement be taken to the country from Naganaki, and command of the land troops, found it or less influence with the trading classes, E. Solomon, broker, and the market bans began by insilinesty captivating the yet unsold. Such a tomicolery has mostly necessary to act together sgainst these disreputable characters will assume their value of George Fonwick and Co.'s shares affections of the people by healing their probably never occurred, ever since storm pirates, of whom they captured seventeen for Soth September was \$26, and even that diseases by their black acts, a service for boats were invented. Some emart Korean and decapitated them on the spot Troops by the fabrication of forged perificates. price was difficult to get. that a charter was offered for the stoamer is running this affair, through the Agency are still left to keep guard over the disturb. They will then make all sorts of exactions, of an equally ingenious Japanese. It is ed locality, and the strictest orders have and practice all manner of hardships upon with costs not giving interest, as no quise not business like, but novertheless it is a been invest to all to maintain the most the petty dealers and hawkers, and create had been shown for the delay in bringing H. T. the reign of the blue em-| wakeful vigilance -Shin Pag.

THE E. & A. S. S. Co.'s steamer Menmuir | A comove phenomenon was, says the Hyogo THE Japanese native papers publish accounts News, observed on the 24th inst., at about of a strange spidemic which has broken out nine o'clock, a portion of the heavens to- at Akitani-kurnwa, Naks Nishiura-mura wards the East appearing auddonly to open Miura-gun, and which is attracting the atand emitting a dezzling firsh of light lasting tention of medicul men. The first case was several seconds, and which distinctly lit up noted about a month ago and there are now surrounding objects. The opening then fourteen persons affected, some being in a to have reached Java in about six days gradually closed, but for fully a minute dangerous condition. Professor Enomi of afterwards there was a duli streak of light, the College of Medicine at the Impérial about the length of a comet's tail, to show University was called from Kanagawa-ken where the flash had appeared. Shortly to investigate the disease and he declares it afterwards the sky, which had before been to be a form of typhus, though he is uncertain on the point. Further medic. assistance has been requested of the Kanagawa Koncho.

20,000,000 annually. Opium was originally Since writing a day or two ago that negotwo and six a.m. A search for the missing imported only for medicine. From about tiations with the Foreign powers regarding luxury rapidly apread, and it was much less | the time being, we are informed that two Before and up to 1765 the annual import requesting a delay in the ratification of the import was forbidden by law, but 30 or 40 pointed out that the introduction of the chests still found their way in every year. | municipal laws and the approaching openhas had to sign treaties submitting to the be postponed for a while. Political jeniousy

ceived such an extension that now Yun- On the 9th ultimo H.I.M. the Emperor nan, Szechuan, Shantung, Shansi, Honan will proceed to the Altar of Prayers for and Chekiang all find it profitable to grow Prosperous Seasons, to perform the usua the poppy. The natives living at remote spring encrifices. His Majesty will repair to from treaty ports may be said to use native the Altar premises accompanied by the reopium exclusively, and that of Yuman is gular retinue on the day provious, and will considered better, as well as cheaper, than | pass the night in the fasting lodges there so as to be ready to commence the ceremonies at dawn of the next morning. Proclama-A consession dent assures the Deli Courant tions have been promulgated, directing that the rivalry of Cevlon tobacco has that from the 6th to the 9th instant, who-3. Second reading of the following nothing formidable about it. The rainy ther in the day or night, no gongs, drums, nature of the climate of Ceylon stands in and any other noisy instruments shall be the way of effective competition. The beaten, and the ordinary watch drum and rainfall in both colonies stands almost rattle shall be hushed. No bells shall be alike, but the number of rainy days differ rung, no guns fired, and no pyrotechnics house. This was after 9 p.m. Ho enwidely. In Ceylon, sometimes as much rain let off. Any violaters of this stringent orfalls in one day as during a fortnight in | der will speedily be apprehended and deli-

leaf comes to a mero nothing. Hence May next. Railways and steamers have quite sober. growers can make a profit at prices been hard put to it in meeting the demands Thomas Campbell, assistant engineer, the work is not expedited there may be hopes about Pahang. an application to the Magistrate (Mr which would prove ruinous to Deli com- of shippers. Up to the middle of this Government Fire Brigade, said-I went to another jubilee on before its completion. petitors. In Deli itself, tobacco cultiva- month, about 35,000 bales had been for- the premises where the fire took place on We believe His Excellency Governor Des tion on the mountains has not turned out a warded. Estate work on this year's crop the afternoon of 2nd inst. I went there Voux, who may be considered the Queen's success, owing to lessened heat and greater | goes on loss actively. The Chinese new to see Inspector Swanston. I noticed on representative here, on being consulted Gould pens with him at the time. moisture in the air. Scarcity of labour year began amid dry weather, but this fa- the floor close to a table several pieces of in the matter, strongly expressed his opiprevents utilising the mountain region for vourable turn of events did not last long, clothing which seemed to be white shirts nion in favour of bronze. We approve, other produce articles more suitable to a From within two days after the beginning of and jackets. I noticed they were wet and however, of the Committee's desire to colder climate. Tobacco still remains the the year, heavy rains have checked field I took them up and smelt them. They consult the public, and perhaps, instead only resource and standby of the planting labour. Burning operations have natural- smelt strongly of kerosene. I drew In- of waiting for objectors to come forward community, who, under the circumstances, ly stopped, and if a change for the better spector Swanston's attention to them and they might do better to call the meeting cannot help putting their eggs all in one does not set in soon, this month also will advised him to take possession. I also at once and have the matter settled.—Et close as disappointingly. March must turn noticed several empty candle-cases which [C.M.] out fine to admit of a satisfactory crop this were damp and smelt strongly of kero-

> luckless localities. Spring will bring no re- promulgated a proclamation, informing the their doom unless succour is extended to agents, the collection of Customs duty is Unhappily for Shantung, the untoward oc- greatly suffering thereby. As a preventive

> place, as it was popularly believed that the current of the river, confined by a heavy aprending devastation and minery through detained at the Bar. It would be rather

thousands in its onward march. In one of and doings of the highest to the lowest trict city, out of a population of over 10,000 beginning of this dynasty to the present souls, 1,800 perished, or one in every six time. The Viceroys and Governors of each to form any accurate estimate, as no sta- | vincial Judge Chow Yu sang to make a were ever taken. But the death-rate must who have been unfaithful in discharging the prevailing disease, and though procla- morialize the Throne to grant him three since he entered the office. He said that this daty is one that will require a great In spite of the gigantic efforts made by the | deal of care and pains, for he does not want ex-Vicercy Chang Chih-tung to aproot to cashiar the good and leave out the bad. piracy and brigandage on the coast of P. E. the Vicercy has consented to petition Kuangtung, we still hear of occasional at- the Peking authorities, and new there is a

alongside and threw grenades into the boat | which has special control over them, and | in George Fenwick and Co. Limited. Mr Luckily the few soldiers who remained in they must each hold a duly authorized Hastings (of Mesars Wotton and Deacon's a general disturbance in the market.

SERIOUS CHARGE AGAINST A PORTUGUESE CLERK.

Daniel de Jesus, a Portugueso Clerk unemployed, was brought before Mr Wodehouse in the Police Court to-day on charge of causing the death of Hu Sun, a Chinese tailor, on the 2nd January. The deceased, who was a man of 72 years of age, died in hospital the other day through the effects, it is alleged, of having been pushed down a flight of steps by the

A Chinese witness who lives near the defendant in the Wanchai District stated that he saw the old man on the day in question come rolling down the stairs of defendant's house, and that he was bleeding from a cut in his forebead.

Inspector Swanston said Hu Sun was brought to No 2 Police station in the afternoon of 2nd January, having evidently suffered serious inquiries. The defendant de Jesus came to the station also, and the man pointed him out as the man who throw him down-stairs when he went to collect what the defendant owed him. The case was remaided.

THE EWO STREET FIRE INQUIRY CHARGE OF AUSON.

which occurred in the premises occupied by J. S. Lucas, Ewo Street, on the morning of the 2nd instant, was resumed at the Magistracy to-day by Mr Robinson. Mr Wilkinson appeared on behalf of Mr Lucas. The following evidence was taken:-

Choy Hoy, ricksha coolie to Mr Lucas, said he took his employer on the fourth day of the races (the day before the fire) from the race-course to his dwelling tered by the back door, which was the access to the upper floor. The back door of the godown was shut; and there were some goods piled against it. The house door may be easily imagined. Still it is not safe Tau shipment of last year's (obacco crop, was not closed when witness left. He difference of opinion in the Colony upon to rate Ceylon too low as tobacco producer. says a Deli paper, has taken place unusual- had not noticed anything particular about the subject. By all means let the statue dier, sent me this letter addressed to a lady Labour is so cheap and readily available ly early, and most of the product will, in the room upstairs when he entered. He be in bronze, and let it be finished as there that the expense of cultivating the all likehood, arrive at Amsterdam before did not small kerosene. Mr Lucas was soon as possible. The Queen's Jubilee acquaintance. It may interest and encour-

> sene. I noticed also that an oilskin cover which was thrown over some boxes was damp at the edge and smolt strongly of kerosene. The flooring was wet for a considerable distance and also smelt of kerosene. Some boards which I saw in the cookhouse on the same floor were wet and amelt strongly of korosene. I went down below. There did not seem to be much damage by fire. It appeared that there had been a big flare in one part of the shop over which the beams of the roof were charred. There were some cases with straw in them there.

Inspector Swanston said-When I got to the scene of the fire I found the fire was l practically out. Sergt. Wilchell threw out some clothes from the sliop which had been burning and I immediately smalt kerosene. back room all caturated with kerosene oil. Lat once put the police in charge, and told them to allow no one to get near the place, By Mr Wilkinson-I have not found any kerosene tins or bottles in the premises. found nothing in the front room upstairs marked by kerosene. His Worship asked Mr Wilkinson if he proposed to produce any evidence. Mr Wilkinson said he had not that intention, but he would produce evidence as to the value of the goods in the premises if

his Worship thought that material. His Worship said he did not consider it material so far as the present inquiry was concerned. He was determined to avoid as far as possible fighting insurance cases in this court. His power was simply to inquire into the cause of the fire. He had given the Insurance Company permission to To Grant from Committee of Old make an examination of the premises if they wished, but they stated that they did not want that. In this case there was no clear evidence of the origin of the fire, and it seemed to him to be a case that required that he should order a prosecution. It might be of course that Mr Lucas had nothing whatever to do with the fire, but the circumstances were such that he thought it would be improper not to order a prosecution against him. Adverting to the question as to the valuation of the goods in the premises, his Worship said that, so far as he could make out, there was no power under the ordinance to pay any expanses which might arise from having a valuation of the goods, and he, not feeling inclined to pay for it out of his own pocker. would hesitare to make an order. He did not mean to imply that the insurance company had taken any wrong slep; but he did not think the m gistrate had power to pay the expenses of a valuation.

J. S. Lucas was afterwards brought be- with wild orgies. There was a great crowd fore Mr Wodehouse on a charge of arson. of men and women present to see the The case was remanded till the 13th, the celebration this year. A huge live was defendant being liberated on bail in two burning, and in the midst of it lay a sheet sureties of \$1,000 each.

SUPREME COURT. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION (Before Mr A. G. Wise, Setting Puisne Judge.) Tuesday, March 11.

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This was a case in which the plaintiff.

Lie Lordship gave Julgment for \$162. and by they gave out that 書天已更,

CORRESPONDENCE

THE JUBILEE STATUE. To the Editor of the CHINA MAIL. Hongkong, March 11th, 1890. Sir,-Some misunderstanding having arisen regarding the Statue of Her M. jesty public should be made fully aware of the position, the Committee request me to approach them through the medium of the

tion of a Statue of Her Majesty the Queen in bronze or in marble for the sum of £5,500. It was adecided at the Public Meeting held in Hongkong that the Statue should be in marble, and Her Majesty approved of the work in that form. Through some unfortunate misunderstanding, not comprehensible at the moment, Signer Raggi was left under the impression that his offer for a bronze Statue was accepted, and he proceeded with the necessary preparations for casting it, incurring an expenditure of time and trouble which he estimated at £1,500. The mistake was only discovered within the last few months, and the question to be determined by the Committee and the public is whether he shall be allowed to preceed with and complete the Statue in bronze, or be paid for his loss of time and labour and requested to execute the work in marble.

The inquiry with reference to the fire The majority of the Committee think night. In the north are the 在電教 that it is neither necessary nor desirable to Teai-li Ktao, who neither drink wine nor incu- this outlay, and many persons indeed would be of opinion that, in this country, bronze is preferable, as less likely to be disfigured by the influences of climate; but the Committee do not feel that they should come to any decision without letting subscribers know how matters stand. I have therefore to ask your good offices in bringing the subject before the public and should there be any desire to have discussed, I will call a meeting forthwith.

I am, Sir, your obedient servant,

J. J. KESWICK, Queen's Jubiles Memorial Committee. [We do not think there will be much To THE EDITOR. was in 1887, and here we are in 1890. If age some of your readers who entertain big

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS

INSTITUTE. To the Editor of the 'CHINA MAIL. a warm interest in the above institution, fellow traveller a thick, yallow scum comin' and I therefore venture to ask you to publish for their information the abstrict of accounts which was presented and passed at our business meeting yesterday. In accordance with the Co s itution of the Institute the Rev. D. Hamilton was of the threes for 5 miles round are as elected Chairman and Treasurer for the ensuing six months.

&c. - Yours &c. G. II. BONDFIELD.

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SOCIETIES IN CHINA.

At Tientain is worshipped a deity called

Shih Tou Shin (+ ill ill.) On the night of 5th February his worship is celebrated of iron attached to a chain. This was red hot and glowing brightly, so that the speciators did not dare to approach it, but the celebrants, maked but for a red turban and short drawers, approached it one by one and se zed and shook it till the red hot iron sheet and chain clattered with a noise like thunder. Thirteen men accomplished this fout without showing any signs of pain, while a fourteenth mounted guard with a drawn sword before the blaz. in : pile. They then discharged guppon der rockets in flights at the maked body of the

and showed no sour or burn when the ceremony was over. All this juggling, with the presti e which it gains for the performers among the igno. rant people, is a source of danger to order. and should be promptly suppressed. Under weaker and less popular Governments than the one under which we now happily. live, jugglers have raised serious rebellions, which they charged fire bushels of rice. By

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sentine'. who, wonderful to relate, stood

(唐獎兒), a humble waiting-maid in a tavern announced that she had received a heavenly book, could out soldiers out of paper and turn beans into lancers, and

a ar ed a devastating robellion which took years to suppress. Under our illustrious the Queen, and as it is desirable that the Ta Tsing dynasty, the White Luly sect originated in Szechuan, and apread over Shensi, Aupeh, Shantung, and even to the capital itself. The 'long haired' (Taiping) rebel, Hung Sin-ta lian, was originally a Signor Raggi tendered for the comple- poor fortune teller, and he worked on the credulous minds of the superstitious until he and his lieutenant, the Eastern Wang, Yang Siu-ts ing, had put in motion a rubellion which took fifteen years to quell (1860-1865). From a villago in Kuangsi called Kin-t'ien ts'un (金田村), it ex. tended over sixteen provinces, carrying death and destruction in its train.

Under the Ming dynasty, Tang Sal Erh

There are at present several secret societies which contain forms of danger, and which the authorities should carefully watch In the south are the 大被教, Big Coverlet Sect. The members are vegetarians, and are continually muttoring the name of Buldha. Each member pays 20) eash to the headman avery year on his round of inspection. On these occasions men and women, old and young, all lie under a big coverlet and chant Buddhist prayers all smoke, wear neither red nor green. Their chief makes a great to-do before introducing a new member, and subjects them to the ordeal of severe ascotic hurdships before admission. If one offers them drink or a smoke, they roply 有門檻 Yeu men kan, there is a bar across the door. In the fourth moon they assemble from far and near at the grave of their 'nnestral teacher.' who is said to have been a robber, who was executed for his crimes. -Shen Pao.

WONDERS IN PAHANG.

Dear Sir. - My friend, Mr. Thomas Tidrelative of his by a young gentleman of her

MICAH SCHIST. P. S. The writing is not very plain, as the author had none of his favourite Jay-

MONTE CARLO, PAHANG. Mo Darlin Kathleen, - Horo I am after all me thravels arrived at the great place at last and Kate scashla, I'm not sorry, for the greatest divarsion iver you seen is goin' ou here, and as I tould you, darlin, I'm never goin' home to yez till I find a gould mine with ten times as much in it as iver here : but wait a minute till I tell rez the divarsion there is here. Well whon I got within five miles of the place, on a darling river for a salmon if it was in Galway (they Sir,-Many of your readers have taken | call it the Lipis), I noticed to a cliver down the river like frath.

What's that, says I 1- They're powddherin' stone at the mine, says he, and the goodd is so plintiful and free that the wind drives it where it likes : the leaves yallow as a guinea, and the road for four miles up to the mine is paved with gould, Our hearty thanks are due to the many and a grand goulddin ralin all along the generous donors of papers, books, pictures, four miles of road from the river to the mine. All the white men's houses have goulden posts and the dust is flyin' so thick that the flors are all covered with it. That's the reason these "omadhauns" they call "shareholders" are crying out for some bars of gould to be sent down, and to be

using it all on the nine Alt, Kate acushla, if I only had come here 5 years ago many a bar of gould I o ald have sent you; but I hear I am too late now, and they won't have any more gould used on the roads and houses here : bad luck to them shareholders ! Five hundred tons is goin'through the mill now and I hear all the boats in the country are chartered to take all the gould to Pekan. The gould dust is terrible about the mill, and it gets up a man's nose and into his brains. I hear the poor Manager and all his men will soon have to go to a Doctor to get their heads put under the clorination process, for the craters' brains has all but turned into gould. Tis the truth I'm telling yes. I'm goin' on from here to another gould mine, and plase God, I'ff write to you from there, for if I don't I won't get a chance for a long time.

romember that whenever I say are prayer at all, it is for you I say it; and don't be courtin too much with poor Tim for you have the poor boy's head turned. Yours ever.

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